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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Appln No.: 09/661,171

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Inventor: Barr et al.

Title: **END-LOAD CARTON
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DELIVERY SYSTEM**Group Art
Unit:

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Examiner: Robert A. Madsen

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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:

a. Previously submitted:

- ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on 5/7/03.
- ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
- ☐ Other:

b. Enclosed:

- ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ☐ Other:

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2. Additional Items:

- ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. *(Period of suspension shall not exceed three months; fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required.)*
- ☐ A petition for extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ A return receipt postcard is enclosed.
- ☐ Other:
- ☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.27).
- ☒ RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) without a claim of small entity status is: \$750.00.
- ☐ RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) by an entity claiming small entity status is: _____.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge \$ 750.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. *Transaction No. 9728.*
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §51.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. This sheet is filed in duplicate.

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